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R 160745Z AUG 76
FM AMCONSUL ISTANBUL
TO SECSTATE WASHDC 7846
INFO AMEMBASSY ANKARA
AMCONSUL FRANKFURT
AMCONSUL IZMIR

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DEPT FOR A/SY/FO AND PTS; ANKARA FOR RSO:
IZMIR FOR PSO; FRANKFURT FOR RSS

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SUBJECT SY MOBIL TRAINING TEAM

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1. WELCOME PROPOSED VISIT TO ISTANBUL AND IZMIR BY MTT. DUE TO TURKISH CUSTOMS RESTRICTIONS AND PREVIOUS EXPERIENCE IN OBTAINING ENTRY FOR SIMILAR MATERIAL, STRONGLY RECOMMEND THAT ALL TRAINING MATERIAL AND EQUIPMENT ENTER TURKEY BY DIPLOMATIC POUCH WITH OFFICERS CARRYING NON PRO COURIER LETTERS. OTHERWISE CUSTOMS OFFICIALS CAN DEMAND ACCESS TO MATERIAL AND COULD HOLD MATERIAL IN CUSTOMS. POST WILL ASSIST IN CLEARING CUSTOMS.

2. ISTANBUL PROGRAM A) PRACTICAL APPLICATION OF EVASIVE DRIVING TECHNIQUE IS NOT FEASIBLE AS THERE ARE NO AREAS IN ISTANBUL WHERE IT COULD BE ACCOMPLISHED.
B) LIV FIRING IS DESIRED FOR MSG DETACHMENT, RSO AND RSO FSLE ASSISTANTS (A TOTAL OF ABOUT 12 PEOPLE). FIVE (5) POSITION INDOOR RANGE AVAILABLE THROUGH TURKISH NATIONAL POLICE, ISTANBUL. RANGE CAN HANDLE WEAPONS PRESENTLY AT POST

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3. IZMIR PROGRAM: A) EVASIVE DRIVING TECHNIQUES ARE
DESIRED WITH ACTUAL APPLICATION. TRAINING CAN BE CONDUCTED
AT LOCAL STADIUM BUT POST WILL NEED TO KNOW MTT
SCHEDULE BEFORE ARRANGEMENTS CAN ACTUALLY BE MADE.
B) LIVE FIRING IS NOT POSSIBLE IN IZMIR. BATJER

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